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10/678,447	10/06/2003	Walter J. Dieter	GDA2338	5343

TITLE OF INVENTION: MECHANICAL VARIABLE REVERSIBLE TRANSMISSION

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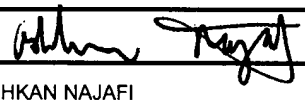
Signature			
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